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## Territorial Topics

### SANTA FE.

From the New Mexican.

E. M. Otero is confined to his home by illness.

Carl Metzger will spend Christmas in Albuquerque.

Hon. and Mrs. Solomon Luna arrived to visit Hon. M. R. Otero and family.

Dr. C. O. Harrison, a dentist from Cerrillos, who is considering locating here, was in the city.

Mrs. J. M. McDonald, of Aurora, Ill., who has been here several weeks for her health, will leave next week for Albuquerque, where she will spend the winter.

L. H. Rapp, the architect from Las Vegas, who is in charge of the construction of the deaf and dumb asylum, is here on business.

J. D. Hughes, business manager of the New Mexican Printing company, left last night for El Paso on a business trip, but expects to return in time to spend Christmas at his home in this city.

Miss Alice Kaune arrived from Mesilla Park, where she is a student at the Agriculture and Mechanical Arts college, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Kaune.

Territorial Secretary J. W. Reynolds, accompanied by Mrs. Reynolds and children, is expected to return tomorrow night from Omaha, Neb., where Mrs. Reynolds and children have been visiting for some time.

### CERRILLOS.

From the Register.

Judge Neis has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. M. A. Bush, who has been a resident of Cerrillos for some time, has moved to Santa Fe.

Ed. Bennett is quite busy these days doing assessment work on his mining claims north of town.

Wm. Welch, lately employed at the smelter here, has taken up mining work under John Reynolds.

Rashed Koury fell from his wagon and severely injured his right leg, so that he will not be able to work for a few days.

Dr. C. O. Harrison returned from an extended business trip to Watrous and other points north and east.

H. C. Yontz returned the first of the week from Gallup, where he had been a few days assisting his brother, R. E. Yontz, who has located at that point.

O. L. Merrill, who came in from the south, reported a heavy fall of snow on the plains which will insure abundant water to start the grass in the spring.

### ALAMOGORDO.

From the News.

Capt. V. E. Stottler, who for a number of years was agent at the Mesacero agency in this county, returned to Alamogordo this week after an absence of four and a half years. The captain was surprised at the change in the situation during his absence and will probably make his future home in this section of New Mexico.

While most of us were at lunch fire broke out in the Teed confectionery place. It originated from the stove. As the fire had just been overhauled it is believed that the workmen left the woodwork touching it and so fire caught. Quick action saved what might have been a very destructive fire, as Teed's place is in the heart of damage done was the burning away of part of the roof. Probably \$25 will cover the loss.

Manager S. E. Hopper, of the lumber company informs the News that on the 16th instant he closed one of the largest deals yet made by his mills. He sold to George M. Forbes, of Colorado, two and a half million feet of yard stock with the privilege of increasing the order to five million feet. Mr. Hopper tells us that his company is receiving some very large orders from different sections of the country, especially from Texas, and that business is continually coming to them because of their promptness in filling orders. For the last month, however, the railroad has not delivered logs at the mills as promptly as the lumber company would like, and what they want now are logs in order that these big orders may be filled promptly. Mr. Hopper thinks that the trouble with the railroad will be overcome shortly and this will enable his mills to do a bigger business from time to time.

### HILLSBORO.

From the Advocate.

Senora Gregoria Gutierrez y Vargas, wife of Jose Antonio Vargas, died at the age of 52 years.

Alfred Sheppard has moved his family in from Cave Creek and is occupying rooms in the Meade building.

The creek below town was frozen over last Monday morning, and the

boys had great sport sliding on the ice. Sunday night was the coldest so far this winter.

John D. Moore, of Denver, special agent and adjuster for the Ocean Accident and Guarantee corporation (limited), of London, was here this week. The loss of the bank from the robbery was adjusted and approved.

The masquerade ball to be given on Christmas eve, under the auspices of the Hillsboro Sporting club, promises to be the event of the season. A general hot time may be anticipated. The best music procurable will be had.

There is no little complaint on the part of the cattlemen because of scarcity of stock cars. They have to hold their herds at the railroad stations some times for weeks, thereby entailing great loss from the cattle falling off in weight. Many of them have turned their cattle back onto the range, preferring to forfeit their contracts than to starve their cattle.

### SAN MARCIAL.

From the Bee.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sweet will spend the holiday season in Topeka.

J. D. Chandler was in Socorro attending to some business in the probate court.

Messrs. McKinney and Woods, two prospective mining magnates of Rosedale, spent part of the week in town.

Frank Anderson, accompanied by his wife and child, arrived here a few days since. He has sold his farm in Oklahoma for a satisfactory sum and will invest in land near San Marcial.

As usual, the children of Christ church Sunday school will celebrate Christmas by having a tree in the church on Christmas eve. There will be music and recitations. Everyone is invited to put their gifts on the tree and to join in making the occasion a joyous one.

The name of Miss Angelica Jofola has been sent to Delegate Rodey in connection with the vacancy in the Clyde postoffice. Angelica is a very nice name, but it will soon be battered out of shape by the average run of delivery window patrons of a postoffice.

J. N. Broyles has secured a judgment for several hundred dollars against school district No. 13 for unpaid warrants dating back several years. Mr. Broyles should have had this money long ago. Probably the district will be forced to raise the amount by a special levy.

### SOCORRO.

From the Chieftain.

Miss Ora Russell has gone to her home in Magdalena for the holiday vacation.

John Blinn has gone over to Hillsboro and the Black Range district for the holidays.

Frank Sickles left Socorro for Mexico. He expected to be gone some time.

Dr. C. G. Duncan has been sick but is now recovering quite rapidly.

W. A. Cozine was a visitor in town from Water Canyon. He reported considerable snow in the Magdalena.

The postoffice at Clenega, this county, will be discontinued after December 31. Mail for the office will go to Sant Lake.

E. A. Clemens made a brief visit in Socorro from his stock ranch west of Magdalena.

Ed. Dodd was summoned from Albuquerque as a witness for the defense in the preliminary examination of Felipe Baca.

Miss Anne W. Fitch left for Juarez, Mexico, where she will spend the holiday vacation with her sister, Mrs. Paul J. Terry, and family.

Mrs. Charlotte Cortez returned from a business visit in Douglas, Ariz. Mrs. Cortez expects soon to leave for Mexico for a prolonged stay.

F. Fischer was a welcome visitor in town a day or two this week. Mr. Fischer is now doing a bustling and successful business for the Continental Oil company.

Messrs. Cecil and Lolita Alexander, daughters of Attorney S. Alexander, are expected home from Las Cruces to spend the holidays.

It is reported that Miss Irene Tiffany was recently married at her home in Albuquerque. If this report is true the bride will have the heartiest of good wishes of her many Socorro friends.

The poles for the telephone exchange have been erected on the principal streets of the city this week. Everybody will be glad to be able to "Hello" to his neighbor.

There came very near being a fire at the Windsor hotel Wednesday morning. Some clothing was left lying against a stovepipe and the usual result followed. Landlord Yunker appeared upon the scene in time, however, to prevent a conflagration.

### LAS CRUCES.

From the Citizen.

John Patrick, who has been working at the Modoc mine for several weeks, has gone to look after his copper properties in the San Andres district.

H. P. Flint, stenographer, returned from Chihuahua last week and is doing stenographic work and studying law in the office of Attorney J. F. Bonham.

Five of our prominent young business men have just concluded the final arrangements of the organization of "The International Investment Company," whose purpose will be to deal in all classes of investments, especially those of New Mexico and Dona Ana county. We are assured of a successful career for the company as it is composed of men fully capable of carrying out any contract they may enter into.

From the Republican.

Las Cruces had a soaking rain Saturday.

The public schools were never in a better condition. Professor Molina is the right man in the right place.

R. Y. Anderson was down from the Sunol mine after supplies preparatory to the operation of this promising gold property.

Frank L. Oliver, of Chamberino, was in the city during the week. He has located several claims in the Potrillo mountains and has done the assessment work on them. This mining district is attracting prospectors right along. Copper, gold and lead are found in paying quantities, but water is scarce.

Parties from the east who were in Las Cruces recently looking over the country in view of purchasing land to establish a colony of fifty families, took an option on the Pinaro ranch, owned by Don Jacobo Chaves of this place. They are German and French, and according to Mr. Chaves' statement, their object is to set out vineyards, make wine and raise vegetables.

They took a number of views of the valley before returning, to exhibit to the members of the company. Las Cruces hopes the deal will be made, as a colony of industrious and scientific gardeners will fill a want long needed in the valley.

From the Progress.

John P. Casey, Jr., is a visitor in town from the Pass City.

The postoffice inspector was here several days this week, making his annual inspection of the postoffice.

E. Van Patten has about completed a large two-story dining and dance hall at his mountain home at Dripping Springs.

We are informed from reliable sources that the Torpedo mine at Organ has been bonded and leased to eastern capitalists, who will begin work the first of the year.

W. N. Hager, president of the Guadalupe Oil company, left for Santa Rosa in response to a telegram stating that the contract depth of 1,000 feet had been reached.

Court Stenographer H. B. Holt, on his return from Deming, had the misfortune of losing his typewriter in El Paso. On getting off the Deming train he entrusted the machine to a negro boy with instructions to take it to the hotel. The boy never put in an appearance with the machine, and all inquiry so far has failed to locate either the boy or Holt's reliable old "Remington."

### WHITE OAKS.

From the Eagle.

White Oaks needs a shoemaker. Thin soles are not desirable in winter, and the editor is not the only man walking on his uppers.

John W. Owens' bond has been fixed by Judge McMillan. The bond as sheriff is \$5,000 and the bond as collector of saloon and gambling license \$5,000.

Robert Taylor came in from Corona a very sick man. He went over to Corona to put up a water tank and worked out in the storm part of one day. Besides a heavy cold he is threatened with appendicitis. Dr. Padden was called Monday morning and his patient is resting as well as could be expected at the present state of his illness.

W. A. Hyde, the Three Rivers sheepman, has one of the finest graded flocks on the ranges of Lincoln county. He has ewes that shear an average of twelve pounds each and about seventy very fine registered bucks. His ranch is located about thirty miles out from White Oaks. It is his intention to raise registered stock for the market, and will offer the first lot for sale about October, 1903.

### DEMING.

From the Beacon.

A. W. Pollard is now on the rapid road to recovery and hopes to be attending to his law practice in a very short time.

The Southern Pacific company have just completed the shipment of about 200 cars of cattle to California points.

A large portion of these cattle were shipped by J. F. Coreton from the ranches around Silver City.

Misses Lillian Lindauer, May Clark and Mary Tracy, all of whom are attending the Visitation academy at Las Cruces, have arrived to pass the holiday vacation with their respective parents at this place.

George L. Shakespeare, editor and proprietor of the Headlight, left for his old home in Wisconsin, on a brief visit. During his absence the entire business affairs of the Headlight office will be under the management of J. Waldemar Waldron.

Last week the doors of Robinson's grocery store on Pine street were closed, and inquiries revealed the fact that Sam had decamped, leaving goods, store and creditors with his Mexican clerk. What train Sam took, or in which direction he was or is precipitating his anatomy, no one knows. A letter was received a few days since by a friend, stating that he would return no more to Deming. Allen L. Kuntz of Wameo's grocery, has temporary charge of the business, which is still closed. It is not at all improbable that the place will be opened shortly under competent management.

In running his tunnel Christ Yaeger struck a cave the first of the week. This is something unusual in the Shakespeare district. The cave is some two feet wide, and contained some excellent ore.

The Diamond A and the XT cattle companies have been trying to make a shipment of cattle from Hachita to California this week, with poor success. The weather has been so cold and stormy that the cowboys have not been able to herd in the cattle as early nor as easily as expected.

For the past week we have had a stretch of about as disagreeable weather as the oldest inhabitant can remember. There has been considerable rain, which was snow in the mountains. It has been cloudy all the time, a great deal of the time it has been very cold, and the prevailing wind has been from the east, which is the most disagreeable wind that blows into town.

The only consolation the people have had is that as such weather is phenomenal in this section it cannot last very long.

### GALLUP.

From the Republican.

C. L. Kuchenbecker left for California on a business trip.

A water service man by the name of Kelly was taken with an epileptic fit Thursday night.

Will Beddow, who has been in Los Angeles for the past four months, has returned home to spend the holidays.

Hon. Gus Muleland and his son, Bernard, left for the Dawson country, where they are engaged in sinking wells for the Rock Island.

Navajo Tom, who works for the Caladonian store, lost his hogan Tuesday night by fire and had to come into town through the snow in his pajamas. No insurance.

The Buchanan brothers and L. L. Henry made a trip to Ramah in the early part of the week on law business. They found plenty of snow in the mountains.

Mr. Woodgate, who was formerly in business two miles west of here, will open a trading store at the new Indian mission to be established on the J. B. Smith ranch.

A string of empty box cars got away from the switchmen at the Otero mine on Tuesday and tore down the chute and one bent of the tipples. The damage was repaired and the mine is working.

Colonel Pringle and C. V. Imeson returned from Zuni on Thursday. They spent a week in surveying a location for the new school building and the reservoir for which an appropriation of \$65,000 has been made.

A San Juan freighter's team became frightened by a locomotive last Thursday and knocked down a signpost in front of Hodgson Brothers' store. One end of the sign board struck the show window, making several dollars damage for the freighter to pay.

### ROSWELL.

From the Register.

Mrs. E. H. Skipwith and little daughter, Rebecca, and son, John, have been quite sick with grip and bronchitis.

Percy Hagerman left for his home at Colorado Springs, Colo., after spending two or three days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hagerman, at South Spring.

The case of the Territory vs. J. E. Miller, charged with passing a bogus check on George O'Connor for \$200, was called before Judge Lea. Miller waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury under \$350 bond.

Last week there was much complaint among the parents of the children attending the public schools that the rooms were kept too warm, and when the children left the building,

they took severe colds. The matter was brought to the attention of the janitor and it is now believed the temperature in the rooms will hereafter be regulated properly.

W. T. Jones, the carpenter who went to Denver last week to see about manufacturing and marketing his patented carpenter's apron, returned Friday. While at Denver Mr. Jones made a contract with the Underhill Manufacturing company to place his patent upon the market. They are to manufacture and sell the apron and pay Mr. Jones a nice little royalty upon each one made. From the high praise of the apron by those who have examined it the prospects are that Mr. Jones will receive a handsome income from his royalties.

Carpenters have been at work for more than a week past making the alterations and improvements at the postoffice preparatory to putting in the new fixtures which should arrive very soon. A new floor has been put down, three windows and a door put in the south side of the building, the room enlarged at the rear by cutting off a portion of the Masonic temple hallway, and the rear door closed up. The new fixtures, including the combination lock boxes, will be a great addition to the postoffice and make it one of the most modern in the territory.

### WINSLOW.

From the Mail.

William Bawcum is in town for a short visit.

Fletcher Bley is enjoying a visit in Los Angeles.

Miss Leon McConn will spend the holidays at her home in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fenton welcomed a little girl to their home.

Mrs. J. W. Christal has gone to Las Vegas to spend the holidays with her daughters in that city.

Henry Carsten left for Phoenix by the overland route. He expects to encounter considerable snow through Sunset Pass and will be about a week making the journey.

Sheriff Seerist has been in town much of the time this week, closing up his business before the expiration of his term on January 1.

John Flick returned from a deer hunting trip. The party of which he was a member went out from Bellemont and bagged nine deer.

Mrs. C. D. Hill returned from her visit with relatives in Iowa. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Dickett, who will spend the winter with her.

News has been received here that Mr. Garvin, father of Zephia Garvin, of this place, was killed in Los Angeles. The body will be taken to St. Joseph for interment.

Prof. J. A. McMeekin gave a dance at the opera house Tuesday night to the employees of the Santa Fe and their friends. Owing to the short notice given of the event and the unfavorable weather, not a great number was present, but the occasion was a very pleasant one. Professor McMeekin will give several entertainments and dances during the winter under the management of the reading room and requests the co-operation of the railroad employees in making these events a social success.

Two of the fat citizens of Winslow recently agreed to race 100 yards, the loser to set up a keg of that popular beverage—beer. At the appointed time a number of friends gathered to witness the event and also to celebrate at the expense of the second-best man. The hour passed by, but neither contestant appeared. Each had been seized by a panic, and one went off on a duck hunt while the other enjoyed a little celebration by himself. The friends who had gathered quietly and sadly dispersed.

### ST. JOHNS.

From the Herald.

Supervisor-elect Truax is in the city on business. He reports from a foot of eighteen inches of snow in the vicinity of the Wabash Ranch.

The young ladies who stood the teachers' examination the early part of the month passed with the following credits: Margaret Evans, of Navajo, 92.23 per cent; Maud Noble, of Alpine, 90.3 per cent; Pearl Noble, of Alpine, 87 per cent.

Curt Cronmeyer, one of the merchants of Allantown, of this county, is in the city to register a kick against paying a higher tax than some richer people pay. Mr. Cronmeyer is an old schoolmate of our fellow townsman, B. Schuster. They have not seen each other for a quarter of a century, although they have been living in the same county for years.

### FLAGSTAFF.

From the Sun.

Wood is in demand this week, and brings \$4 per cord, a raise of \$1 since the big snowfall.

Dan Mitchell, who has been clerking for Babbit Brothers, left for Needles,



Cal., where he has secured a situation with Monahan & Murphy.

Mrs. J. R. Treat returned from a visit with relatives in Montana, Wisconsin and Kansas. She has been away several months and she had a very enjoyable time.

John Smith, batteryman for the Western Union Telegraph company, with headquarters at Flagstaff, left for Needles, Cal., in the interest of the company. He will return today.

Rev. C. P. Wilson, of Pomona, is in town and will remain for two weeks. Rev. Wilson was for four years pastor of the Flagstaff Methodist Episcopal church, and has many friends here who will be pleased to meet him.

F. W. Smith, of Williams, spent several days here this week. Mr. Smith is an applicant for the appointment of postmaster of his town. He is well qualified for the position and his many friends in Flagstaff trust that he may receive the appointment.

Winter weather has prevailed in Flagstaff during the last week. Monday morning the thermometer dropped to 12 degrees below zero, and Tuesday morning it was 8 below, being the coldest weather for four years. On Wednesday the weather moderated and several inches of snow fell, and clear but cold weather followed the snow storm.

### HOLBROOK.

From the Argus.

Mrs. J. P. Burdett and children are visiting friends at Adamana.

W. H. Clark has returned from an extended business trip to Prescott and Phoenix.

Postoffice Inspector H. C. Hodge, of Denver, was here on a tour of inspection.

William Seorse left for California, where he expects to remain for some time.

Max Schuster had to leave his post of duty at the store a couple of days on account of sickness.

G. W. Amos, who has been spending a few days here and at Winslow, left for Show Low.

George Reed and family expect to leave for Phoenix to join his brother, Dr. G. S. Reed, who has decided to locate there.

Mrs. A. DeVee, who has been teaching in the Indian service at Keam's Canyon for the past three years, departed for Zion City, Ill.

Dr. Frances Woods, who is lecturing through Arizona, in the interest of woman's suffrage, went up to Snowflake. Miss Woods made many converts to her cause in the southern part of the territory, and is meeting with good success here.

Bishop Anderson, of St. Johns, started from here with a piano and got stuck in the Puerco, where the outfit was left till morning, when by the help of extra teams and men, he was pulled out and started on his way rejoicing.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Clawson, of Taylor, was quite badly burned. They had been hatching a hog and had a fire out doors to heat the water. The little girl was playing around and her dress caught on fire and before they could put it out she was quite badly burned. At present she is improving.

### WILLIAMS.

From the News.

Mrs. M. Buggeln and Mrs. L. L. Ferrell came in from Bright Angel.

Organizer Sorenson, of the Fraternal Brotherhood, has established quite a lodge here.

Sheriff James Johnson took an insane Mexican to the asylum at Phoenix.

A number of men are now engaged in doing assessment work on various claims in the Canyon district.

Miss Birdie Barth came over from Albuquerque to spend the holiday season with her sister, Mrs. A. Tyroler.

Mrs. J. R. Twitty and daughter, Mrs. M. J. Rounsaville, departed for Los Angeles, intending to remain on the coast the rest of the winter.

Mart Little went out to the Canyon mining district to perform assessment work for J. A. Fleming and J. L. Davis on a number of their claims.

William Miller, while filling a large hand saw at the mill recently jabbed a tooth into his hand inflicting a painful wound which has caused him considerable trouble.

Mrs. George W. Martin and little daughter, Ruby, departed for Fresno, Cal., where she expects to remain some

six weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Hon. John H. Page, for some weeks confined in Mercy hospital at Prescott with typhoid fever, arrived home. His wonted vigor is rapidly returning since reaching the plateau and the town of his choice.

Pius Fatic, while unloading several bales of hay from Martin's delivery wagon and lifting them into a mow higher than his head, severely strained his back. At this writing he is about all right again.

C. B. Holloway left for his old home in Memphis, Tenn., where he will spend the holidays. This is his first trip to those parts in twenty-one years, and no doubt he will find that many changes have taken place in that time in the people as well as old scenes.

Art Harrell recently killed a deer. His wife asked him to hang half of it out in the entry way at rear of their store to freeze. That evening they went out to cut off some nice steak, but the deer had flown. Mrs. Harrell doesn't like to think about it and Art has just braced up his courage enough to tell how he was floored. He says it is a mean man that will steal a deer when all you have to do is to go to the outskirts of town and shoot one.

J. B. Jones showed us this week what is claimed to be one of the original copies of the Ulster County Gazette, published at Kingston, N. Y., January 4, 1800. It contains much interesting news of that time and, as it is said to be genuine, is a valuable keepsake. It was originally the property of George Irwin, now of Iberia, Mo., and had been handed down for generations. Mr. Jones intends to have it framed and displayed in a conspicuous place at the Cabinet.

### LAS VEGAS.

From the Record.

Bob Rainey was numbered among the sick today.

The two children of Hon. C. A. Spies are reported to be very ill with pneumonia.

Francisco B. Varela has sold a piece of land near Pecos, to Tomas Varela, for the sum of \$50.

Dan Kelly, son of H. W. Kelly, arrived from Notre Dame, Ind., where he has been at college, to spend the holidays at home.

W. T. Lechleiter, a Chicago lumberman, who had been here some time looking for a location, left for Albuquerque.

Fred Walsen and wife, of Denver, have sold to I. G. Hazard and F. O. Blood eight lots in the Pablo Baca addition to East Las Vegas, for the sum of \$1,063.

Mrs. Cora Leak has recorded the location notice of the Silver Star mining claim, in the Green Valley district.

Miss Alice Koebel has resigned her position as milliner at lifed's, being succeeded by Miss Nellie Preston.